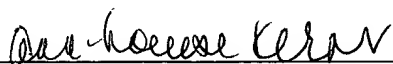
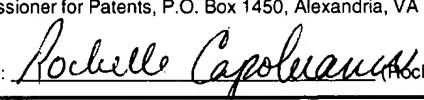


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Application No. 08/887505-Conf. #1117		Filing Date July 2, 1997		Examiner J. Martinell	
Art Unit 1634					
Applicant(s): Robert E. KILKUSKIE et al.					
Invention: OLIGONUCLEOTIDES SPECIFIC FOR HEPATITIS C VIRUS					
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:				160.00	
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<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.					
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 Ann-Louise Kerner, Ph.D. Attorney Reg. No.: 33,523 WILMER CUTLER PICKERING HALE AND DORR LLP 60 State Street Boston, Massachusetts 02109 (617) 526-6000			Dated: August 17, 2005		
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